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## New Advertisements.

## NOTICE.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from 1st to the 17th August, both days inclusive.

By order of the Board,  
G. N. MINTO, Secretary.

HONGKONG, July 24, 1869. au17

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE ORDINARY MEETING of the Shareholders, will be held at the Office of the Company, Club Chambers, at 3.30 P.M. on TUESDAY, the 17th August, for the purpose of receiving a Statement of Accounts, the Report of the Directors and for declaring a Dividend.

By order of the Board,  
G. N. MINTO, Secretary.

Hongkong, July 20, 1869. au17

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

THE UNDERSIGNED have removed their AUCTION SALES DEPARTMENT to the Premises lately occupied by Messrs RAY & CO., Queen's Road Central.

Goods received for Auction/Sales will be fully covered by Fire Insurance, for which no extra charge is made.

STORAGE to be had on very moderate Terms.

LAMBERT, ATKINSON & CO.  
Hongkong, July 23, 1869. au17

PER FRENCH MAIL "DONNAI."

SMALL Invoice of Fresh French BUTTER in bottles, each 1 lb. Gravy, CHEESE and PATES, truffled, assorted in half tin.

Apply to  
G. DUBOST & CO.  
Hongkong, July 23, 1869. au17

PER FRENCH MAIL.

A Few VELOCIPEDES, large, of good make, Paris Manufacture.

Apply to  
G. DUBOST & CO.  
Hongkong, July 23, 1869. au17

THE irritation caused by "PRICKLY HEAT" is very soon relieved by using

"JUNIPER TAR OIL SOAP."

To be had at the

"VICTORIA DISPENSARY."

Hongkong, July 21, 1869. au17

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.

IN BANKRUPTCY.

NOTICE.—EUSTOMER DARABOV, of Victoria, in the Colony of Hongkong, Merchant, having been adjudged Bankrupt under a Petition for adjudication of Bankruptcy, filed in the Supreme Court on the Thirtieth day of May, 1869, a Public Sitting for the said Bankrupt to pass his last examination, and make application for his discharge, will be held before the Honorable John Smale, Esquire, Chief Justice of the said Court, at the Supreme Court House, Victoria, Hongkong, on Friday, the Twentieth day of August, 1869, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon precisely.

At this Meeting, proof of the Debts of the Creditors will be received.

Frederick Sowley Hufkin, Esquire, is the Official Assignee, and Mr Francis Innes Hayland, Esquire, is the Solicitor acting in the Bankruptcy.

Hongkong, July 6, 1869. au20

IN BANKRUPTCY.

MEETING of the Creditors of the ESTATE of HAGEN, DA SILVA & CO., bankrupts, will be held at the British Consulate, Takow, on Saturday, the 31st inst., at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of declaring the final dividend and settling up all matters pertaining to the said Estate.

WM. M. COOPER, Acting Consul for the North German Confederation.

Formosa, July 13, 1869. au17

NOTICE.

IN THE ESTATE OF DOUGLAS LAPRAIK, Deceased.

PROBATE of the last Will and Testament of DOUGLAS LAPRAIK, formerly of Hongkong and lately of Acton, deceased, having been granted to the Undersigned, one of the Executors in the said Will named, All persons indebted to the said Estate are hereby required to pay the amount of their debts forthwith. Persons having Claims against the Estate are hereby required to send in particulars of their Claims to the Undersigned, at the Office of Messrs DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & CO., or to HENRY O. CATWELL, Esquire, Solicitor, on or before the 31st day of January, 1870, after which date no Claims will be received or admitted.

Dated Hongkong, 9th day of July, 1869. jan31

R. E. BAKER, Executor.

## New Advertisements.

## HONGKONG GENERAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

THE CHAMBER, prepared by the Chamber, will in future be issued on the afternoon of the day preceding the departure of the fortnightly P. & O. Mail Steamers. Subscribers are requested to send for their copies between the hours of 4 P.M. and midnight.

J. W. WOOD, Secretary.

Hongkong, July 20, 1869.

NEITHER Capt. Schmitt nor the Undersigned will be responsible for any Debts contracted by the Crew of the N. G. Ship "Adler."

EDUARD SOELLHASS & CO., Agents N. G. Ship "Adler."

Hongkong, July 19, 1869.

ILLUMINATIONS, TRANSPARENCIES, TRIUMPHAL ARCHES.

And other DECORATIONS, For the approaching visit of

HIS ROYAL HIGHNESS THE DUKE OF EDINBURGH.

THE UNDERSIGNED is now prepared to execute orders for the above. All information in reference thereto, can be obtained from

Messrs WILSON & SALWAY, JOHN B. HOLLAND, Decorative Artist &c.

Hongkong, July 5, 1869. au17

THE UNDERSIGNED have been appointed Agents at this Port for

Grant's Trans-Mongolian Telegraphic Line, Via KLAOHTA.

Begin to state that Telegrams are always despatched once (and often twice) a week from Shanghai. Messages have been delivered in London within 15 days from date they left Shanghai, and therefore time could be saved, by people patronizing the above line.

FESSELD & CO.  
Hongkong, July 7, 1869. au17

PEARCE AND VINEY, (Late of Girdle's Telegraph Company.)

39 WILLIAM STREET, MELBOURNE, TELEGRAPHIC REPORTING, AND GENERAL AGENTS.

AGENCIES IN ALL THE COLONIES, At Galle, London, New York, &c.

DR. VARNUM D. COLLINS, HOLDING a Diploma from the Philadelphia Dental College, resumes the practice of his profession at Hongkong.

Office and Residence, 55, Wyndham Street; but patients, visited at their homes if desired. All diseases of the teeth treated, and artificial work inserted on gold, silver, vulcanite and Allen's continuous gum.

Hongkong, June 14, 1869. au17

HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE SECOND CALL of \$100 per Share will become due at the Office of the HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION on the 30th instant, where Receipts for the payment thereof will be granted.

Interest at the rate of 12 per centum will be charged after the above date.

N. B.—The Scrip Receipts for the FIRST CALL, as well as those above referred, will be exchanged for Share Certificates of the Company as soon as the necessary forms are received from England, due notice of which will be given to the Shareholders.

JARDINE, MATHESON & CO., General Managers.

Hongkong, June 14, 1869.

TO LET.

With Immediate Possession, THE Upper and Lower part of the HOUSE on FORTRESS WARE, lately occupied by

THOS. HUNT & CO.  
Hongkong, July 16, 1869.

TO LET.

HOUSES in Mosque Terrace (Caine Road), newly painted and in thorough repair. Water laid on.

Apply to  
JOHN GERHARD, tt.

Hongkong, July 3, 1869.

JUST LANDED AND FOR SALE BY THE UNDERSIGNED.

150 Cases each 4 doz. 1 lb. tins California SALMON.

J. M. ARMSTRONG, Auctioneer and General Commission Agent.

COMMERCIAL BANK BUILDINGS, Queen's Road, Hongkong, July 16, 1869.

## New Advertisements.

## CONSULAR NOTIFICATION.

THE UNDERSIGNED, in pursuance of the Instructions of His Excellency the British Majesty's Minister at Peking, on Monday, the 14th June, 1869, took over charge of British interests at the Ports of Tientsin and Takow, and entered on his duties as Acting Consul.

WM. M. COOPER, British Consular, Tientsin, June 15, 1869.

CONSULAR NOTIFICATION.

THE UNDERSIGNED having obtained the Authorization of the Chinese Government at Peking to his nomination as CONSUL FOR THE NORTH GERMAN CONFEDERATION at CANTON, hereby gives notice that he has assumed the duties of this office, and that all separate German Consulates at Canton will henceforth be discontinued.

CARLOWITZ, Canton, 7th July, 1869.

JUST RECEIVED.

A LARGE supply of new Fruit SYRUPS, consisting of:—Groselles, Framboise, Cereise, Rose, Limon, Vinaigre, Orgeat, &c., &c.

VICTORIA DISPENSARY, Hongkong, July 21, 1869. au17

CHARCOAL BISCUITS.

PRICED 15c. PER LB. Baked fresh every week.

THESE BISCUITS are made from the celebrated Dr. Bello's best refined Charcoal and are highly recommended by the Faculty for Persons suffering from Indigestion.

Apply at the Office of the WANCHI STEAM BAKERY, Hongkong, July 15, 1869. au16

SUGAR DEPOT.

No. 25, Wellington Street. THE UNDERSIGNED have this day opened the above Establishment for the sale of their BEST SUGAR, Golden Syrup, and molasses for ship and family use.

For particulars as to the prices and qualities, apply at the above depot.

W. H. SMITH & CO., East Point, July 16, 1869. au16

FOR INVALIDS.

SWISS COCAINE SCHWEITZER'S COCAINATA.

A. B. WATSON & CO., Hongkong Dispensary, Hongkong, July 20, 1869. ju27

SODA WATER CORKS.

SULPHURIC ACID.

BRISTOL'S SODA WATER.

FLORIDA WATER.

Above in quantity, or retail.

A. S. WATSON & CO., Hongkong Dispensary, Hongkong, July 20, 1869. ju27

PER "MAIL."

MISS GARRETT has received, BONNETS and HATS of the latest fashion, LACE, FICHUS, MANTLES, &c., &c.

Has a large assortment of Dawson's Boots, Gentlemen's, and Children's BOOTS, &c.

Gentlemen's and Boys' Straw HATS, &c.

Glenfield STARCH and STONE BLUE.

Hongkong, July 1, 1869.

PER OVERLAND MAIL.

MISS ROGGE has just received a choice assortment of Black and Colored SILKS, BAREGE, Fancy and Muslin DRESSES.

RIBBONS, Velvet and Dress TRIMMINGS in great variety.

A large assortment of Ladies' and Children's BOOTS and SHOES.

WELLINGTON STREET, Opposite the Catholic Chapel.

Hongkong, June 4, 1869.

THE LONDON & CHINA EXPRESS.

Is published in London for the P. & O. Co.'s and French Mail, and contains:—Summary of Home, Parliamentary, and Foreign News.

Special Correspondents' Letters from Germany, Holland, &c.

## Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. have been instructed to sell by Public Auction, on

THURSDAY, the 29th Instant, at Noon, at H. M. Naval Stores, at Auckland.

(On account of whom it may concern.) About 147 tons of Welsh COAL DUST, ex *Carl Ludwig*.

And About 23 tons of Welsh COAL DUST, ex *Carl Ludwig*.

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars, weighed at 7.1.7.

Hongkong, July 26, 1869. au16

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE UNDERSIGNED have received instructions to sell by Public Auction, on

FRIDAY, the 30th day of July 1869, at 12 o'clock, On Board,

The Italian ship "TERESA," 1223 tons register, as she now lies in this harbor, with all her Appurtenances.

TERMS OF SALE.—One-half of the Purchase money to be paid on the fall of the hammer, and the balance on the transfer of the vessel, in Mexican dollars, weighed at 7.1.7. The expenses of which to be paid by the purchaser. The Vessel to be at the Purchaser's risk upon the fall of the hammer.

For further particulars and Inventory, apply to

J. M. ARMSTRONG, Auctioneer.

Hongkong, July 24, 1869. ju30

BANKS.

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that the REGISTERS OF SHARES OF THE CORPORATION will be CLOSED from the 1st to the 15th day of August proximo (both days inclusive), during which period no transfer of shares can be registered.

V. KRESSER, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, July 23, 1869. au16

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Unpaid Capital of One Hundred Dollars per Share on the 20,000 New Shares of the Corporation's Stock will fall due, on the dates following, viz:

On 1st July, 1869, \$25

1st July, 1870, 25

1st Jan., 1872, 25

1st Jan., 1873, 25

\$100

Shareholders electing to pay the whole or any portion of the above Calls by anticipation will receive interest at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum, payable half-yearly, until the respective dates at which the Calls shall fall due, and receipts for such payments will be issued at the Head Office and Branches.

By Order of the Court of Directors, VICTOR KRESSER, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, March 2, 1869.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL, FIVE MILLIONS OF DOLLARS.

COURT OF DIRECTORS.

Chairman—GEO. F. HEARD, Esq.

Deputy Chairman—JULIUS MENKE, Esq.

GEORGE J. HELLARD, Hon. J. B. TAYLOR, Esq.

A. JACOB, Esq.

WILLIAM LEMANN, Esq.



## Notices to Consignees.

**MR. BARK "IDUNA," W. J. DEE SAU,**  
Master, FROM AMSTERDAM.  
CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-named vessel are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Underwriter for counter-signature, and take immediate delivery of their Goods.  
Cargo impeding the discharge, will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.

MELUERS & Co.  
Hongkong, July 24, 1869. jly31

CONSIGNEES of Cargo per Company's Steamship "Donna," are requested to send in their Bills of Lading, for counter-signature, and to take delivery of their Goods before the 24th Inst., at 3 P.M., or they will be landed and stored at their risk and expense.

C. BERTRAND,  
Principal Agent.  
Hongkong, July 22, 1869.

## Notices of Firms.

**NOTICE.**  
MR. FRITZ RAPP, has been duly authorized to sign our Firm per Procuration from this date.

F. BLACKHEAD & Co.  
Hongkong, June 15, 1869.

**NOTICE.**  
I HAVE this day established myself as a Public Accountant, AVERAGE ADJUSTER and GENERAL COMMISSION AGENT.

C. LANGDON DAVIES,  
Hongkong, July 1, 1869.

**NOTICE.**  
MR. LEONARD STARR has been admitted a Partner in our Firm from this date.

HESSE & Co.  
Hongkong, July 1, 1869. oot1

**NOTICE.**  
FROM this date Mr. GEORGE E. LANE, will act as agent of the Pacific Mail Steamship Company at this port.

GEO. F. BOWMAN.  
Hongkong, March 15, 1869.

**NOTICE.**  
I HAVE established myself at Kobe, and Osaka, as Commission Merchant and General Agent.

HENRY LUOAS,  
Hongkong, April 16, 1869. if

**NOTICE.**  
THE Business of KINNEAR & Co., Footcove, will be carried on from and after this date under the style and firm of KINNEAR, LARKEN & Co.

WILLIAM BALFOUR KINNEAR,  
Footcove, May 1, 1869. if

**NOTICE.**  
WE have authorized Mr. CLAUDE BODIN to sign our Firm from this date.

DREYER & Co.  
Hongkong, January 1, 1868.

**NOTICE.**  
THE Underigned has established himself as a GENERAL AGENT and COMMISSION AGENT on the Ground-Floor of the Hongkong Hotel, under the style of GUERRE & Co.

J. M. GUEDES, JR.  
Hongkong, June 5, 1869.

## HONGKONG HOTEL.

FROM this date the Management of the Hongkong Hotel is placed in charge of Mr. GEORGE E. LANE, to whom all communications should be addressed.

YEE-WE & Co.  
Hongkong Hotel,  
April 1, 1869. if

## For Sale.

**FRENCH VEGETABLES.**  
JUST arrived per French ship St. Germaine.

**PETITS POIS.**  
ARTICHAUDS.  
CAULIFLOWERS.  
BRUSSELS SPROUTS.  
ASPARAGUS.  
CELERY IN JUS.  
CARMOTS.  
BEET ROOT.  
FRENCH BEANS.  
CHAMPIGNON.  
JULIENNE SOUP.  
FLAGOLETS.

Apply to  
G. DUBOST & Co.  
Hongkong, July 12, 1869. au12

**EX FALCON AND ZIBA,**  
NEW GOODS FOR THE SEASON.  
LONGCLOTH SHIRTS with Linen Fronts, Gauze, Merino and Silk UNDER-SHIRTS, Linen and Paper COLLARS, White, Brown and Striped Thread and Cotton SOCKS, NECKTIES and SCARVES, Cambric HANDKERCHIEFS, STRAW HATS, Willow's HATS, Straw HATS, Umbrellas, Masak VESTS, Trowl DUCK and DRILL, ALPACA, French MERINO and PAIR MATS.

Ladies' and Children's Trimmed and Untrimmed HATS, White and Fancy Muslin and other DRESSES, Printed French CAMBRICS, Silk, Lisle Thread and Cotton BURET, Silk GLOVES, Trimmed BODICES, Cambric EDGINGS, RIBBONS, LACES, VELVETS, HABERDASHERY, &c.

Window CURTAINS, Mosquito NETS, SHEETINGS and COUNTERPANES, Bath and Toilet TOWELS, Antimacassars and Toilet COVERS, Damask Table LINEN, Gauze and other FLANNELS, Longcloth and Irish LINENS, STATUARY, of all kinds, FURNITURE, BRUSHES, SOAPS, SPONGES, Children's PERAMPULATORS, &c., &c.

S. W. BAKER & Co.  
Hongkong, April 10, 1869. if

## For Sale.

**FOR SALE.**  
THURSTON'S BILLIARD TABLE, in good order, having been in use only a short time.  
Apply to  
MORRIS & Co.,  
Queen's Road.  
Hongkong, July 5, 1869. au5

THE Underigned have just landed ex "Carmarthenshire," and are now offering FOR SALE, at low rates, a well assorted Invoice of STATIONERY from Messrs. WATERLOW & Sons, London, comprising:  
Cream Laid Letter and Note PAPERS, assorted sizes.  
Blue Laid Letter and Note PAPERS, assorted sizes.  
Cream Laid Letter and Note PAPER, ruled with faint lines; Mourning PAPER and ENVELOPES; Blue and White FOOLSCAPS, Pink and White Blotting PAPER, Brown Packing PAPER, Quill and Steel PENS, Paper FASTENERS, Account and Memorandum BOOKS, Writing DESKS, Office KNIVES, INK-STANDS, &c., &c., &c.

MORRIS & Co.,  
Queen's Road.  
Hongkong, July 19, 1869. au19

## For Sale.

THE following Properties belonging to the Estate of DEAR & Co.  
At HANKOW.—The Property at present occupied by Messrs. EVANS & RAINBOW, consisting of a Dwelling House, with Servants' Offices and Stables and three Godowns each 150 feet by 60.  
The situation of this Property outside the British concession, its river frontage of 320 feet and extensive Godown accommodation makes it one of the most valuable at HANKOW especially for steam-boat purposes.  
At KINKIANG.—Four Lots on the British Concession with a frontage of 232 feet on the river bank. The buildings consist of a Dwelling House, with Servants' Office, and two Godowns 100 feet by 60 and 105 feet by 60 on the front Lot, and of a Godown 155 feet by 66 feet on the back Lot.  
For further particulars, apply at the Office of the Trustees.

No. 7, Pedder's Hill,  
or to  
H. P. HANSEN,  
Shanghai.  
Hongkong, April 10, 1869. aug31

## For Sale.

Ex "Dunmail" and "Carmarthenshire,"  
GUINNESS' EXTRA STOUT, in Kildare.  
GUINNESS' EXTRA STOUT, bottled by E. & S. BURKE of Dublin, in quarts and pints.  
BASS & Co. ALE, (SPECIAL BREW), in Hogsheads and Kildare.  
BASS & Co. ALE, in quarts and pints, bottled by CAMERON & SAUNDERS.  
10 tons of HUBBARD'S PAINTS of every description.  
HUBBARD'S Pale Bottled and Raw OIL, HUBBARD'S TURPENTINE & DRIERS, GUINNESS and BLACKWELL'S OILMAN'S STORES, well assorted; BROWN & POWELL'S CORN STARCH, LOAF SUGAR in 46 boxes.  
YORK HAMS & CHEESE and Breakfast BACON, at  
LAMBERT, ATKINSON & Co.  
Hongkong, July 10, 1869. if

**FOR SALE.**  
JAS. HENNESSY & Co.'s Old THREE-STAR BRANDY, at  
LAMBERT, ATKINSON & Co.  
Hongkong, July 10, 1869. if

**FOR SALE.**  
Ex "ANGLO" and "ST. GERMAIN,"  
SUPERIOR ROUSSILLON WINE, in cask.  
Light Bordeaux WINE, in ditto.  
H. & C. Balaesque's CHATEAU LAFFITE.  
H. & C. Balaesque's HAUT BRION.  
VRAI CANON.  
CHATEAU DE FEAUX.  
Hauts Sauternes, Barsac, d'Yquem, Chablis, Beanne, Hermitage Blanc, Cote Rotie, and other Burgundy WINES.  
Every description of French Vegetables, Fruits, Preserves, Pates, Truffles, Syrups, Liqueurs, &c., &c., at  
LAMBERT, ATKINSON & Co.  
Hongkong, July 10, 1869. if

**FOR SALE.**  
I O close consignments.  
SOUND BREAKFAST and DIN-  
NER CLARETS.—  
St. Emilion . . . at \$3.00 per dozen.  
Haute Do. . . at \$4.00 "  
Fouquet (cane) . . at \$4.50 "  
Chateau Lafite . . at \$5.00 "  
LAMBERT, ATKINSON & Co.  
Hongkong, July 10, 1869. if

**FOR SALE.**  
HAWCETT & Co. are now landing, ex "Dunmail," and other late arrivals—  
Hogsheads BASS'S ALE.  
Baskets do.  
Kildare do.  
BASS'S ALE, in pints and quarts.  
Guinness's STOUT, in ditto.  
Pale SHERRY; Old PORT.  
CHAMPAGNE, in pints and quarts.  
Sparkling and Still HOCK.  
York HAMS and Cheddar CHEESE.  
AMERICAN BUTTER.

Galvanized Iron WIRE ROPE, from 1 in. to 4 in.  
Galvanized Iron JIB HANKS, from 2 in. to 3 in.  
PAINTS and OILS; CANVAS and TWINE.  
Preserved MEATS, SOUPS, and FISH.  
OILMAN'S STORES.  
Fairbank's SCALES, 2,000 and 2,500 lbs.  
Enfield Converted Breech-loader RIFLES with Ammunition complete.  
And,  
Ex "Carmarthenshire,"  
Hennessy's BRANDY, in cases.  
Hongkong, June 12, 1869. if

**FOR SALE.**  
Ex "Chuanan,"  
CHAMPAGNE.  
Roederer, . . . Carte Noire.  
" . . . Blanc.  
" . . . Chateau.  
SANDER & Co.  
Hongkong, July 8, 1869. if

## For Sale.

**FOR SALE.**  
USSIAN CIGARETTES.  
ZACHARIE & Co.  
Hongkong, July 12, 1869. aug12

**FOR SALE.**  
GENUINE Havana CIGARS, in boxes of 50 each.  
Superior CHEROOTS, in boxes of 200.  
Cavite CIGARS and CHEROOTS.  
Manila CIGARS, Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5, per "French Mail."  
Merschmann PIPES and CIGAR-HOLDERS.  
BIEFELD & ZACHARIE.  
Hongkong, June 25, 1869. jul25

**New Advertisements.**  
FOR SALE, TO ARRIVE.  
Casks of best PORTLAND CEMENT.  
P. & P. DERODE FRERES,  
17 Queen Street.  
Hongkong, July 26, 1869. au26

**NOTICE.**  
COMPAGNIE DES SERVICES MARITIMES DES MESSAGERIES IMPERIALES.  
PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS.  
STEAM FOR  
SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, POINT DE GALLE, ADEN, SUEZ, ALEXANDRIA, MESSINA, MARSEILLES.  
ALSO,  
BOMBAY, PONDICHERRY, MADRAS, AND CALCUTTA.

THE Company's Steamship "DONNA," Captain Commandant MELAN, will leave this Port for the above places, with MALES, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO, on THURSDAY, the 12th August, at Noon.  
Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in transit through Marseilles for the principal places of Europe.  
Cargo will be received on board until 4 P.M. of the 11th, Specie and Parcels until 5 P.M. of the 11th. (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency's Office.)  
For Particulars regarding Freight and Passage, apply at the Company's Office, Hongkong, CONTENTS AND VALUE OF PACKAGES ARE REQUIRED.  
C. BERTRAND, Principal Agent.  
Hongkong, July 26, 1869. au12

**NOTICE.**  
THE following cases have been landed and stored at the risk and expense of the Consignees, who are requested to take immediate delivery.  
Ex "Cambridge," 2d February, 1869.  
GFC 15985 . . . 1 case Chemicals.  
Ex "Donna," 26th July, 1869.  
JO 4 . . . 1 case F. F. F.  
MC 240/01 . . . 2 cases F. F. F.  
N . . . 25 bales Cotton.  
N . . . 5 bales Cotton.  
SS (in diamond) . . . 5 bales Cotton.  
V . . . 5 bales Cotton.  
PW (in diamond) . . . 1 case Samples.  
MSM . . . 1 case Cloth.  
C. BERTRAND, Principal Agent.  
Hongkong, July 26, 1869.

**Mrs. H. S. PEEL,**  
PRIVATE BOARDING HOUSE,  
Stanley Street, No. 6  
(BEHIND MESSRS SAYLE & Co.)  
Hongkong, June 28, 1869. 28j1

**NOTICE.**  
"STAG HOTEL."  
THIS Establishment having been entirely re-furnished and much improved will be reopened for Business this day.  
J. BAILEY WATSON, in again taking charge of the above, begs to return his thanks to his numerous friends and the public generally for the liberal support he has received for the last ten years, and trusts that, by strict attention to cleanliness and the general comfort of his patrons, to merit a continuance of their support.

Tiffin, . . . at 1 o'clock P.M.  
Dinner, . . . at 7 "  
N.B.—Two of HARRIS's first class Iron BILLIARD TABLES.  
J. B. WATSON.  
Hongkong, June 12, 1869. if

**NOTICE.**  
STAG HOTEL.  
Ice Cream Drinks—Ice Cream Drinks.  
THE Underigned has just landed, and has now in complete working order, one of DOWS and Van Winkle's ICE CREAM SODA WATER APPARATUS.  
He can now supply the Public at a moment's notice with the following Nectars: Strawberry, Raspberry, Pine Apple, Orange, Lemon, Ginger, Vanilla and Sarsaparilla. Price at the Bar, 15 cents per Glass.

J. B. WATSON,  
Hongkong, June 22, 1869.

**HOTEL DE FRANCE**  
A CANTON.  
Service confortable, prix moderes.  
20 Mai, 1869.

## New Advertisements.

**OCCIDENTAL HOTEL,**  
SAN FRANCISCO,  
CALIFORNIA.

THE Occidental Hotel having been recently improved and refurnished, is now in complete order in all its appointments.  
Travellers will find the Accommodations of this well known Hotel equal to those of the best Hotels of the Eastern States and Europe.  
Hongkong, April 18, 1869. oot18

**NAGASAKI PATENT SLIP.**

THIS SLIP is now available for docking Ships of 1,200 Tons or under, and all work connected therewith, as also in the SHIP-WRIGHTS, JOINERS, BOAT-BUILDERS, SPAR-MAKERS, and general departments is under experienced European Superintendence. The SLIP has been most substantially constructed, in a perfectly land-locked and secure position, and has been pronounced by competent authority as equal to any existing works of the same kind.  
Charge, for three days use of the Slip, One Dollar per ton, and all labour, material, &c., supplied on moderate terms. For further information, apply to  
GLOVER & Co.,  
Managers.  
Nagasaki, Japan.  
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**SAYLE & Co.,**  
VICTORIA EXCHANGE,  
HONG KONG.

HAVE RECEIVED EX MAIL STEAMER.

A Large assortment of MILLINERY, BONNETS, and HATS, of the latest fashions.

A Choice assortment of SILK, MUSLIN, and GREYDINE, for Evening Wear.

A fine assortment of new French FLOWERS, HEAD-DRESSES and FEATHERS.

A large assortment of new TRIMMINGS and FRINGES in all colors.

Ladies' and Gentlemen's Kid GLOVES, in white and colors, all sizes.

Gentlemen's Drab Shell and Felt HATS.

Blue and Green GOSSAMERS, &c.

BRANCH ESTABLISHMENT,  
20, Poochow Road, Shanghai.

Hongkong, February 3, 1869.

**LATEST SHIPPING.**

**DEPARTURES.**  
July 26, Nautilus, for Nagasaki.

**CLEARED.**  
Young Greek, for Yokohama.  
Myore, for Saigon.  
Labuan, for Tamsui.  
J. F. Erickson, for Foochow.  
Sophie, for Tientsin.

**QUOTATIONS**

HONGKONG, 26th July, 1869.  
OPTUM.—Patna, New, . . . \$56 1/2  
" . . . Old, . . . 545  
Benares, . . . 500  
" . . . Old, . . . 500  
Malwa, . . . 625  
Persian, . . . 550, dom.  
COTTON.—BOMBAY, . . . 17 a 21 1/2  
CALCUTTA, . . . 15 a 19 1/2

**Exchange.**  
Bank, 6 months' sight, . . . 4/6 1/2  
Credits, 6 . . . 4/7  
On Calcutta, 3 days' sight, Rs. 2304  
" Bombay, 3 days' sight, Rs. 231  
" Shanghai, 3 days' sight, Bank, Tls. 754  
Bar Silver, 17 dwts. B., . . . 44  
Sycee, . . . 275 a 4.00  
Mexicans, . . . 23  
Gold Leaf, . . . 22 60 a 22.80  
Gold Bar, 98 touch, . . . 4.49  
English Sovereigns, . . . 4.47  
Australian Sovereigns, . . . 4.47  
Discount, . . . 10 a 12.  
Gas Company Shares, . . . 40  
H. & W. P. Dock, Old, . . . 8 p. c. discount  
H. & S. Bank Shares, Old, . . . 35 p. c. pre.  
Do, . . . New, . . . 16 "  
Union Dock . . . . . 35 p. c. dis.

**Temperature.**

HONGKONG, 26th July, 1869.  
(Taken at Messrs. Falconer & Co.'s Premises, Queen's Road.)  
THERMOMETER—9 A.M., Dry, . . . 88 1/2  
Do, . . . Wet, . . . 81  
Do, . . . 4 P.M., Dry, . . . 90  
Do, . . . Wet, . . . 82 1/2  
Self-registered Maximum, . . . 90  
Do, . . . Minimum over night, . . . 83  
BAROMETER—10 A.M., . . . 29.921  
Do, . . . 4 P.M., . . . 29.870

**TO CORRESPONDENTS.**  
Our columns are open to all who wish to address the public on legitimate grounds, but we do not hold ourselves responsible for the opinions of our correspondents.  
All communications addressed to this paper must be accompanied by the name of the sender, not necessarily for publication, but as a guarantee of good faith.

## THE CHINA MAIL.

HONGKONG, MONDAY, JULY 26, 1869.

OUR correspondent at Macao informs us that the words "The affair of the bribe is now proved to be an accomplished fact," printed in our issue of the 20th instant, do not refer to Mr. Marques Pereira, but to another affair at Macao, with which Mr. Marques Pereira has nothing whatever to do.

WITH reference to some recent comments upon the detention of the last mail, we find upon enquiry that the Post Office had nothing to do with the detention of the mails per Travancore. The Superintendent of the P. & O. detained the vessel on his own responsibility. No late fees were charged or taken from 7 to 8 a.m. The postponement of the Travancore's departure was only communicated to the Post Office at 8:40 a.m., and was immediately afterwards made public.

WE direct the attention of our readers to a letter upon the jury system of Hongkong, which appears in our correspondence columns. Though we do not agree with our correspondent upon every point, he has fairly hit a blot in our local administration. Chief Justice Smale recently remarked that "he should require strong proof that a juror could not thoroughly understand English." We should rather think that strong proof should be required in so heterogeneous a community that a man could speak English before he was entrusted with such onerous duties as those devolving upon a jurymen. Our jury list needs stringent revision and that right soon, for many now on the list themselves assert their incapacity to follow English when rapidly spoken.

**THE CENSUS TABLES.**  
THE Census tables for 1868-69, are scarcely of a nature to warrant their reproduction in full, and being unaccompanied by any report, are of less interest than usual. As it is well, however, to preserve a notice of these annual returns, we subjoin the concluding table for future reference:—

## COMPARATIVE STATEMENT, 1867 AND 1868-69.

	1867.	1868-69.	INCREASE.	DECREASE.
Number of Houses, . . . . .	6,283	6,815	532	—
Number of Boats, . . . . .	2,085	3,382	547	—
Europeans and Americans,—Men, . . . . .	1,157	1,156	—	1
Women, . . . . .	501	521	20	—
Boys, . . . . .	264	322	58	—
Girls, . . . . .	229	280	51	—
Total of Europeans and Americans, . . . . .	2,151	2,279	128	—
Goa, Manila, Indian, and others of mixed blood, . . . . .	1,150	997	—	153
Aliens, chiefly Seamen and Temporary Residents, . . . . .	250	130	—	120
Chinese in employ of Europeans, &c., . . . . .	6,451	6,542	91	—
Chinese residing in Victoria, . . . . .	75,743	72,959	—	2,784
Chinese residing in Villages and Kauling, . . . . .	9,951	11,164	1,213	—
Boat Population in Victoria, . . . . .	13,030	14,033	1,003	—
Other Boat Population, . . . . .	8,293	8,490	203	—
Prisoners, . . . . .	452	478	26	—
Total, . . . . .	117,471	117,078	2,604	3,057
Total Decrease, . . . . .	—	—	—	393

ALFRED LISTER,  
Acting Registrar General.

Hongkong, 2nd July, 1869.

## LOCAL.

**THE BAND OF THE 75th Shropshire Regt.** will perform at the Public Gardens, on Tuesday, the 27th instant, commencing at 6 P.M. The following is the programme:—  
Overture, "Miralla," . . . . .  
Quadrille, "Agaja," . . . . .  
Preludio, "Maria Stuart," . . . . .  
Waltz, "Song of the Wood," . . . . .  
Finale, "Sonambula," . . . . .  
Gallo, "Harum Scaram," . . . . .  
God Save the Queen, . . . . .  
W. J. Colquhoun, Band Master.

**TO-DAY'S POLICE.**  
Mr. May on the Bench.

It appears that a robbery was committed, on the morning of the 22nd inst., upon the Yun-hang-low cook shop, when four pieces of clothing, \$3, two 10-cent pieces and 100 cash were stolen from a money box. A piece of wood had been cut from the drawer. Lee Ayoung, one of the unwashed and unemployed, was charged with the burglary on the following grounds. The shop-keeper whose clothes were stolen heard something about a bundle carried by defendant, and on making inquiries he found the defendant; when this party offered to give him back the clothes if nothing were said about it. After defendant got the bundle, he started to run for it, and was pursued by the shop-keeper, and the bundle was thrown down. Escaping at this time, prisoner was afterwards given into custody. The prisoner stated, in defence, that he had got the clothes to keep in safe custody from the complainant, and that he did so the first witness then started a claim for a large amount which he had lost in money, and had charged him with the burglary in consequence. Prisoner was sent to head labor for six months.  
A case originated by Mr. S. Speashey, against an amah, was dismissed owing to the non-appearance of the complainant.

**IN THE SUPREME COURT.**  
Court Paper for Tuesday, 27th July, 1869, at 10 a.m.

Pereira v. Souza—Special Jury.

we subjoin the principal results to which they point.

The total population on the 1st June, 1869, was 117,088, or 393 below that of 1867. The increase and decrease balance themselves somewhat curiously. Amongst the foreign inhabitants there is an increase of 20 women, 53 boys and 51 girls, while the decrease is 1 solitary male. This would tend to show that there are more family men here now than there were eighteen months ago. The total European and American population is 2,279. Amongst the natives the chief increase is 1,213 in the villages and Kowloong, and 1,206 in the boat population of the city and island, nearly balanced by 2,784 decrease of Chinese residing in Victoria. It must be borne in mind that 273 out of the 393 decrease is put down to Goamen, Manilamen, Indians, and Aliens, so that the total native decrease is 120—rather a poor result for those who have been talking so fluently of the continued and alarming efflux of natives in consequence of repressive legislation. We observe that the junk population are, rightly, not included in the above totals. They sum up in the respectable figure of 22,529.

The native population of the City proper is 79,501, of which 6,542 are in European employ—a much smaller proportion than we should have expected. The disproportion between the men and women is noteworthy, there being 52,983 of the former to 14,473 of the latter, or nearly four men to every one woman. The boys and girls balance more evenly, being 6,149 boys and 5,896 girls. This preponderance of males is unusual, and somewhat confirms the suspicion that female children are at times made away with, though no proof, so far as we know, is afforded of the existence of any such practice. Upon the whole there is nothing in the census to show that any decrease has taken place of importance. Of course the departure of one native merchant is far more noticeable than that of six coolies, and we regret that there has been no attempt made in the comparative table to give an idea of the status of those forming the 2,784 above referred to.

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## For Sale.

**FOR SALE.**  
Ex. Ste. Germaine and Carmarthen.  
**HAMPAGNE.** Max. Bouteille Cabinet.  
Bott. and Eng. Perrier.  
Cabinet Eng. Perrier.  
And a few cases of superior COGNAC  
(fine Champagne).  
Apply to  
**LANDSTEIN & Co.**  
Hongkong, July 15, 1869. tf

**FOR SALE.**  
Ex. "Samuel Russell."  
**BORDEN'S CONDENSED MILK** (Fresh).  
Ex. "Chusan."  
Prime York HAMS, Wiltshire CHEESE,  
Scotch SALMON, London HADDUCKS  
and LUBBERS, in 1 lb. Tins. Also a  
choice variety of SOUPS in 1 lb. Tins.  
Also ALB. in Hogheads.  
Apply to  
**J. F. ROSE,**  
Wellington Street.  
Hongkong, June 25, 1869.

**FOR SALE.**  
Invoice of SCHWEPP'S SODA  
WATER.  
Apply to  
**ROB. S. WALKER & Co.**  
Hongkong, June 19, 1869.

**FOR SALE.**  
**DAUGHT ALE & PORTER** in Hhds.  
Apply to  
**ROBERT S. WALKER & Co.**  
Hongkong, June 1, 1869.

**STEAM COALS.**  
For Sale from Store, or deliverable on Board.  
**ENGLISH**—London Dock West Hartley.  
Davies's West Hartley, Straker's  
West Hartley.  
**WELSH**—Blengware Marthry.  
Apply to **ROB. S. WALKER & Co.**  
Hongkong, March 16, 1869.

**FOR SALE.**  
Just landed ex M. I. Ste. "Imperatrice."  
**LABERS:** Chateau, Laitie, Larose,  
Palmer. Also,  
St. George, St. Julien,  
Mangrove, St. Emilion,  
**WHITE WINES:** Chateau, Laitie,  
Palmer. Also,  
**MADREIRA, XERES, SHERRY, MUS-**  
**CAT, MUSCAT, &c.**  
Apply to **LANDSTEIN & Co.**  
Hongkong, May 3, 1869. tf

**FOR SALE.**  
**FEW SUPERIOR RIFLES** adapted for  
prize shooting, both breech and muzzle  
loaders, regulation bore.  
Apply to **LANDSTEIN & Co.**  
Hongkong, May 3, 1869. tf

**FOR SALE.**  
**MANILA HARD WOOD.**  
Consisting of  
**MOLAYES,**  
**BANABAS,**  
**ARABANGS,**  
And other descriptions.  
Apply to **LANDSTEIN & Co.**  
Hongkong, August 11, 1868.

**FOR SALE BY THE UNDERSIGNED.**  
**AGUIER**—Angle German COGNAC.  
**COGNAC**—HARMONY WINE,  
**VIOLIN** and **VIOLIN STRINGS,**  
**FLUTES,** New Music, &c.  
Pianos tuned and repaired.  
**C. WAGNER,**  
Hollywood Road.  
Hongkong, March 1, 1869. tf

**NOTICE.**  
**MR. J. THOMSON** begs to intimate that  
he is now publishing a Series of 40  
Views of Hongkong, price \$5.  
10 Views from Hkates, 14 by 12  
28 Views from Hkates, 10 by 8  
14 Small Instantaneous Subjects from  
the Dragon Procession.  
Hongkong, September 4, 1868. tf

**FOR SALE.**  
Ex. S.S. "TIGER."  
**FEW BAGS** of Mocha COFFEE, @ \$7  
per bag of 28 lb.  
Apply to **G. DUBOST & Co.**  
Hongkong, August 31, 1868. tf

**FOR SALE.**  
**YELLOW METAL** 16 to 28 oz. and  
1 lb. @ \$1.50.  
Apply to **GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.**  
Hongkong, September 15, 1868. tf

**FOR SALE.**  
**PITTER BEER** in Hogheads.  
**GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.**  
Hongkong, May 22, 1869.

**FOR SALE TO ARRIVE.**  
Bales of Fresh Californian OAT  
HAY.  
**RUSSELL & Co.**  
Hongkong, June 7, 1869.

**ATHAM'S BRANDY** in 1 doz. cases.  
"SHERRY" 5 " "  
"PORT" 2 " "  
"CLARET" 1 " "  
Apply to **BIRLEY & Co.**  
Hongkong, April 9, 1867.

**FOR SALE.**  
**MUNZ'S YELLOW METAL** 20/28 oz. and  
NAILS.  
Also,  
Virian's Patent Yellow METAL Keel  
PLATES, 12lb. and 13lb. with NAILS.  
Apply to **HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.**  
Hongkong, June 14, 1867.

**FOR SALE.**  
**YELLOW METAL** 18 to 28 oz. Minute  
and Virians.  
**JOHN BURD & Co.**  
Hongkong, April 5, 1867.

**FOR SALE.**  
THE desirable PROPERTY on Queen's  
Road, lately occupied by Messrs  
SMITH, KENNEDY & Co.  
For further particulars, apply to  
**SMITH, ARCHER & Co.**  
Hongkong, September 4, 1867.

To arrive per steamer "Ajna" and For Sale.  
**BURNEY'S CENTRIFUGAL PUMP.**  
To pump 300,000 gallons per hour with  
18 inch Suction and Delivery. Price  
\$1,250.  
**S. SPEECHLY.**  
Hongkong, June 8, 1869. tf

## Houses and Lands.

**TO BE LET.**  
WITH Possession from the 1st October  
next, the HOUSE AND OFFICE  
No. 9, Gough Street, at present occupied  
by Messrs KROCHER, BODER & Co.  
Apply to  
**GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.**  
Hongkong, June 30, 1869. tf

**TO LET.**  
THE HOUSE No. 6, West Terrace, Cairns  
Road, newly painted and coloured  
throughout.  
Apply to  
**THOS. W. BARRINGTON,**  
63, Wyndham St.  
Hongkong, June 19, 1869.

**TO LET.**  
HAT commodious Family Residence in  
Bonham Road, known as "Pore-  
polis," containing 12 Rooms, besides base-  
ment story, Bath room, Coach House and  
stable, Gas and Water laid on.  
Also, Croquet ground, Flower and Ve-  
getable garden.  
Apply to  
**THOS. W. BARRINGTON,**  
63, Wyndham St.  
Hongkong, June 19, 1869.

**TO LET.**  
6 HOUSES in Seymour Terrace No. 2, 6,  
9, 10, 11 and 12, each containing 4  
ROOMS with outhouses attached. Water  
and Gas laid.  
Apply to  
**DAVID SARSON, SONS & Co.**  
Hongkong, June 2, 1869.

**TO LET.**  
(With immediate possession.)  
SEVERAL Strong New GODOWNS, very  
conveniently situated on Marine Lot  
No. 63, between Messrs JONK BURN & Co.'s  
premises and Messrs GIBB, LIVINGSTON &  
Co.'s Wharf.  
For Particulars, apply to  
**A. McLEOD,**  
At Messrs GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.'s  
Hongkong, April 26, 1869. tf

**TO LET.**  
With Immediate Possession,  
TWO Commodious Two-Storeyed Granite  
GODOWNS, at Wanchi, (adjoining the  
Union Dock Company's Timber Yard)  
on which property, also, STORAGE can be  
had at moderate terms.  
For particulars, apply to  
**LANDSTEIN & Co.**  
Hongkong, April 26, 1869.

**TO LET.**  
NO. 3 Pechili Terrace, with immediate  
possession. Apply to  
**LANE, CHAWFORD & Co.**  
Hongkong, April 16, 1869. tf

**TO LET.**  
ONE FLOOR of a house in Queen's  
Road, well situated.  
Apply to  
**ROB. S. WALKER & Co.**  
Hongkong, March 23, 1869.

**TO LET.**  
**CLUB CHAMBERS, D'AGUILAR**  
**STREET.**  
A FEW Sets of these desirable CHAM-  
BERS are now vacant, and can be had  
on reasonable terms. Apply to  
**DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.**  
Hongkong, February 5, 1869.

**TO LET.**  
WITH immediate possession, the House  
and Office, No. 4, Gough Street,  
lately occupied by Messrs A. WILKINSON &  
Co.  
Apply to  
**GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.**  
Hongkong, October 14, 1868.

**TO LET.**  
A CONVENIENTLY situated HOUSE  
in Chancery Lane. Rent moderate.  
Apply to  
**ARNHOLD KARBURG & Co.**  
Hongkong, October 5, 1868. tf

**TO LET.**  
TWO HOUSES TO BE LET  
RECENTLY put in thorough Repair, sit-  
uated on the Rise of THE HILL,  
Westward, and an easy distance from the  
Queen's Road. Apply to  
**MR. BARRINGTON,**  
Wyndham Street.  
Hongkong, May 13, 1868.

**NOTICE.**  
**TO LET.**  
THE desirable PREMISES on the Queen's  
Road, lately in the occupation of the  
Asiatic Bank.  
For particulars, apply to  
**SMITH, ARCHER & Co.**  
Hongkong, May 18, 1868.

**LIGHTERAGE AND STORAGE.**  
THE Undersigned will undertake to land  
Cotton, Rice, Coals, and other Mer-  
chandise, in their own Boats, and to receive  
the same on STORAGE in First-class Gran-  
ite godowns, on Moderate Terms.  
**ROB. S. WALKER & Co.**  
Hongkong, March 4, 1869.

## Intimations.

**H. W. HOHNHOLZ & Co.,**  
SHIP'S COMPRADORES & GENERAL  
GROCERS,  
No. 33, PRINCE OF WALES MARKET,  
HONGKONG.  
Are prepared to supply to Families and  
Commanders of Vessels all descriptions of  
Provisions, Groceries, &c., on the most  
reasonable terms.  
A selected assortment of Oilmann's Stores  
always on hand.  
All orders attended to with promptitude.  
Hongkong, July 6, 1869. tf

**VICTORIA FOUNDRY.**  
Spring Gardens.  
ESTABLISHED 1857.  
**MCDUGALL & Co., ENGINEERS,**  
Boiler Makers, Brass and Iron  
Founders, SHIP'S SMITHS, and GENERAL  
WORKERS.  
Boilers made and repaired; for prices of  
New Boilers, apply at the Works, Spring  
Gardens.  
Hongkong, July 1, 1869. oet1

**SALT MAKING.**  
WILLIAM DOLAN having returned to  
Hongkong, has resumed his business  
of SALT MAKING in all its branches, at his  
premises on the Public.  
He has on hand a fine assortment of 8  
and 10 ounce RAVEN'S DUCK suitable  
for Boat Sails or Avings.  
Hongkong, April 29, 1869.

## Intimations.

**T. E. HAWKINS'S**  
HORSE REPOSITORY,  
AND  
HORSE-SHOING FORGE,  
DUDDLE STREET,  
HONGKONG.  
Horses and Ponies carefully broken to  
Saddle and Harness.  
Horses, Ponies, Harness, and Carriages,  
always on hand for sale.

**MORRIS & Co.,**  
AUCTIONEERS,  
NEWS AND COMMISSION AGENTS,  
QUEEN'S ROAD,  
HONGKONG.  
(Late J. B. Morris, News Agent.)

**F. FRICKEL & Co**  
SHIP-CHANDLERS, SAILMAKERS,  
GENERAL STOREKEEPERS,  
AND  
COMMISSION AGENTS,  
Queen's Road, HONGKONG.

**F. A. WHEELER,**  
HAIR CUTTER & HAIR DRESSER,  
26, Queen's Road,  
(Opposite LARS & O'NEILL'S).  
Hongkong, March 19, 1869. tf

**FESEFELD & Co.,**  
AUCTIONEERS,  
COMMISSION MERCHANTS,  
AND  
GENERAL AGENTS,  
QUEEN'S ROAD,  
HONGKONG.  
Next Door to "HONGKONG DISPENSARY."  
Hongkong, May 1, 1869. aug1

**GEORGE GLASSE,**  
(FIVE YEARS MANAGER TO  
KINGSDON & Co., PICCADILLY  
LONDON, AND 28, PLACE  
VENDOME, PARIS)  
**ENGLISH AND FOREIGN**  
**CHEMIST**  
VICTORIA DISPENSARY,  
HONGKONG.  
**SHIPS' MEDICINE CHESTS**  
SUPPLIED & REFITTED.  
Hongkong, May 1, 1867. tf

**ANDREW MILLAR**  
HOUSE, SHIP & STEAM-BOAT  
PLUMBER,  
COPPERSMITH & BRASSFOUNDER  
No. 1, Queen's Road East  
and Nihilah Lane.  
Hongkong, October 28, 1868.

**PORTRAITS.**  
**MR. J. THOMSON** is prepared to take  
PORTRAITS, VIEWS and other  
PHOTOGRAPHS—Rooms, Commercial  
Bank Buildings, Queen's Road.  
Hongkong, March 11, 1868. tf

**NOTICE.**  
RENTS and accounts COLLECTED with  
punctuality and despatch.  
District WARRANTS or Rent IS-  
SUED and EXECUTED.  
Security, if required.  
**THOS. W. BARRINGTON,**  
63, Wyndham Street.  
Hongkong, February 17, 1868.

**E. R. HANDLEY,**  
(Late PATRICK & HANDLEY.)  
House and Ship Plumber,  
Copper Smith, Zinc Worker, and  
Gas Fitter.  
16, Queen's Road West.  
Hongkong, May 24, 1869.

**BROWN, JONES & Co.,**  
UNDERTAKERS,  
MONUMENTS and HEAD-STONES  
ERECTED, in the Best Style.  
LEAD and METALLIC COFFINS, on  
the Shortest Notice.  
Apply at  
Hollywood Road, Corner of Aberdeen St.

## Docks.

**THE UNION DOCK COMPANY OF**  
**HONGKONG & WHAMPOA, LIMITED**  
The Company call the attention of Ship  
Owners, Consignees and Masters of  
Vessels, to their Establishment at Hong-  
kong and Whampoa, for the DOCKING  
and REPAIRING of Vessels of all classes.  
At Hongkong the Company have the  
only Dock in the harbour, a Granite  
Dock, solidly built, and of dimensions to  
admit Ships of 360 feet in length, and  
drawing 22 feet of water.  
Attached to it there are Shipwrights,  
Blacksmiths, Boiler-makers and Machinery  
works, and everything necessary for the  
Repairs of Sailing Vessels or Steamers.  
The Company have also opened a Ship-  
yard by the side of the Hongkong Dock,  
and are ready to contract for the construc-  
tion of Steamers or Sailing Vessels of any  
size.  
At Whampoa the Company will take  
Ships at reduced rates.  
The Steam Tug "LITTLE ORPHAN"  
can be engaged to tow Vessels to sea, or  
berth them, at reasonable rates.  
For particulars, apply to  
**ROB. S. WALKER,**  
Secretary.  
Company's Office, Queen's Road, Corner  
of Ice House Lane.  
Hongkong, April 8, 1869.

**THE UNION DOCK COMPANY OF**  
**HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA,**  
(LIMITED.)  
**NOTICE.**  
THE above Company, having recently  
erected at their Docking Establishment  
at Kowloon, FIRST CLASS MA-  
CHINERY, are prepared to furnish Tenders  
for the Manufacture and Repairing of  
Boilers of any size, and for the making or  
repairing of Steam Machinery (marine or  
stationary) or of Sugar crushing and Refin-  
ing Machinery—Shifting, Gearing, and  
every description of Factory, or Mill work  
undertaken.  
A New Jetty is in course of completion,  
alongside of which Vessels drawing 18 feet  
of water can lay at any state of the tide;  
attached to the Jetty are Shears capable of  
lifting Fifty Tons.  
**ROB. S. WALKER,**  
Secretary.  
Hongkong, June 24, 1869. tf

## Insurances.

**LANCASHIRE INSURANCE**  
**COMPANY.**  
(FIRE AND LIFE.)  
CAPITAL—TWO MILLIONS STERLING.  
THE Undersigned are prepared to grant  
Policies against the Risk of FIRE of  
Buildings or on Goods stored therein, on  
Coals in Matched, on Goods on board  
Vessels and on Hulls of Vessels in Har-  
bour, at the usual Terms and Conditions.  
Proposals for Life Assurances will be re-  
ceived, and transmitted to the Directors  
for their decision.  
If required, protection will be granted on  
first class Lives up to £1000 on a Single  
Life.  
For Rates of Premiums, forms of pro-  
posals or any other information apply to  
**ARNHOLD KARBURG & Co.**  
Agents Hongkong & Canton.  
Hongkong, January 4, 1867.

**JOKAN MARINE INSURANCE**  
**COMPANY.**  
LONDON.  
Incorporated 1859.  
CAPITAL—£1,000,000.  
THE Undersigned having been appointed  
Agents for the above Company are pre-  
pared to accept Marine risks and issue  
Policies at current rates.  
**AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co**  
Hongkong, June 6, 1867.

**LONDON AND PROVINCIAL MARINE**  
**INSURANCE COMPANY.**  
THE Undersigned having been appointed  
Agents in Hongkong for the above  
Company, are prepared to grant Marine  
Risks at current rates.  
**AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.**  
Hongkong, March 6, 1868.

**ALBERT LIFE ASSURANCE**  
**COMPANY.**  
ESTABLISHED 1833.  
CAPITAL, £500,000.  
Managing Agents in China—Messrs.  
**AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.** Hongkong,  
Medical Referees—J. IYON, M.D.,  
Esq., M.D.

THE Undersigned having been appointed  
Managing Agents for the above Com-  
pany are prepared to accept risks and issue  
Policies on Life Assurances.  
For further particulars, forms of pro-  
posals, &c., apply to  
**AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.**  
Managing Agents in China.  
Hongkong, June, 1867.

**PHENIX FIRE INSURANCE**  
**COMPANY.**  
LIVERPOOL, AND LONDON & GLOBE  
INSURANCE COMPANIES.  
THE Undersigned having been appointed  
Agents of the above Companies at this  
Port, are prepared to grant Policies against  
Fire to the extent of \$40,000 on Buildings,  
or on Goods stored therein.  
**DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.**  
Hongkong, September 28, 1868.

**IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE**  
**COMPANY.**  
THE Undersigned having been appointed  
Agents for the above Company at this  
Port, are prepared to grant Policies against  
Fire to the extent of \$80,000 on Buildings,  
or on Goods stored therein.  
**GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.**  
Hongkong, August 24, 1864. tf

**NOTICE.**  
**IMPERIAL FIRE OFFICE.**  
FROM and after this date the following  
Rates will be charged for Short Period  
Insurances, viz:—  
Not exceeding 1 month, 1/2 of the annual rate  
Above 1 month and not  
exceeding 3 months, 1/2 do.  
Above 3 months and  
not exceeding 6 months, 1/2 do.  
Above 6 months, the full annual rate.  
**HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.**  
Agents.  
Hongkong, April 8, 1868.

**ALLIANCE FIRE ASSURANCE**  
**COMPANY.**  
**NOTICE.**  
FROM and after this date the following  
rates will be charged for Short Period  
Insurances, viz:—  
Not exceeding 1 month, 1/2 of the Annual Rate.  
Above 1 month and not  
exceeding three months, 1/2 do.  
Above 3 months and not  
exceeding six months, 1/2 do.  
Above 6 months, the full Annual Rate.  
**JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.**  
Agents, Alliance Fire Insurance Company.  
Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

**NOTICE.**  
**BRITISH AND FOREIGN MARINE**  
**INSURANCE COMPANY,**  
LIMITED.  
THE Undersigned having been appointed  
Agents for the above Insurance Com-  
pany are prepared to grant Policies co-  
vering Marine risks at the current Rates.  
Policies can be made payable at all the  
principal ports throughout the World.  
**MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co.,**  
Agents.  
Hongkong, November 7, 1867.

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**MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co.,**  
Agents.  
Hongkong, November 7, 1867.

## Insurances.

**NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE**  
**INSURANCE COMPANY.**  
REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM.  
Detached and semi-detached  
Dwelling-Houses removed  
from Town, and their Con-  
tents, 1/2 per cent.  
Other Dwelling-Houses used  
strictly as such, and their  
Contents, 1/2 per cent.  
Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c.  
and their Contents, 1/2 per cent.  
**GILMAN & Co.**  
Agents North British and Mercantile  
Insurance Company.  
Hongkong, March 9, 1866.

**NOTICE.**  
**NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE**  
**INSURANCE COMPANY.**  
FROM and after this date the following  
Rates will be charged in Short Period  
Insurances, viz:—  
Not exceeding one month, 1/2 of the annual rate.  
Above 1 month and not  
exceeding 3 months, 1/2 do.  
Above 3 months and not  
exceeding 6 months, 1/2 do.  
Above 6 months, the full Annual Rate.  
**GILMAN & Co.**  
Agents North British and Mercantile  
Insurance Company.  
Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

**NOTICE.**  
**MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE**  
**COMPANY OF MANCHESTER**  
**AND LONDON.**  
THE Undersigned have been appointed  
Agents for the above Company at  
Hongkong, Canton, Foochow, Shanghai  
and Hankow, and are prepared to grant  
Insurances at current rates.  
**HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.**  
Hongkong, October 14, 1868.

**NOTICE.**  
**MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE**  
**COMPANY.**  
THE Undersigned have (as already in-  
timated in their Circular dated 14th Oc-  
tober last) received authority from the  
Secretary of the ROYAL LANCASHIRE  
COMPANY to reduce the rate of Premium  
under certain circumstances, on PRIVATE  
RESIDENCES and on FURNITURE and  
Effects, therein contained.  
In cases of DWELLING-HOUSES removed  
from the Town, the rate of Premium will  
be Three-quarters per Cent. in place of One  
per Cent. per Annum as hitherto charged;  
and in cases of Residences, so situated, be-  
ing detached or semi-detached, the rate will  
be further reduced to One-half per Cent.  
The Royal's Annual Rates for FIRE IN-  
SURANCE on the various classes of Buildings  
and their contents will therefore remain as  
follows, until further notice, viz:—  
Detached and semi-detached.  
Dwelling-Houses (removed  
from the Town) and their  
Contents, 1/2 per cent.  
Other Dwelling-Houses (simi-  
larly situated) and their  
Contents, 1/2 per cent.  
First Class China Houses and  
their Contents, 1/2 per cent.  
Other Risks as per special arrangement.  
**ROB. S. WALKER & Co.**  
Agents Royal Insurance Company.  
Hongkong, November 9, 1866.

**NOTICE.**  
**MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE**  
**COMPANY.**  
FROM and after this date the following  
rates will be charged for Short Period  
Insurances, viz:—  
Not exceeding 1 month, 1/2 of the Annual Rate.  
Above 1 month and not  
exceeding three months, 1/2 do.  
Above 3 months







